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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Robert A. Aekins, et al.

Serial No.: 09/982,073

Filed: October 17, 2001



Examiner:

Group Art Unit: 2817

Confirmation No. 8240

For: DUAL REACTANCE LOW NOISE MODULAR CONNECTOR INSERT

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed December 4, 2001 (copy enclosed), enclosed is an original Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition ("Declaration") signed by the four co-inventors in the above-referenced patent application. A check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the required fee for the late filing of a Declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.16(e) is enclosed.

Applicants have filed contemporaneous herewith a Request for Corrected Filing Receipt in which applicants request, *inter alia.*, correction to reflect the provisional application to which the present application claims priority (as reflected on the enclosed, executed Declaration) and the full complement of four co-inventors (as reflected on the enclosed, executed Declaration).

Also, enclosed are substitute drawings in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.84 in connection with the above-referenced patent application.

Respectfully Submitted,



Richard H. Newman  
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Date: January 18, 2002

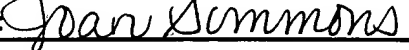
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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Sir:

Applicants request issuance of a corrected filing receipt in the above-referenced application, as follows:

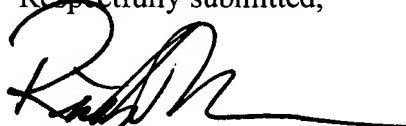
- The priority claim for the subject application should be directed to the following provisional patent application: **Serial No. 60/279,385** which was filed on **March 28, 2001**;
- The correct inventorship for the subject application is as follows: Robert A. Aekins, George M. Kessler, Jay Venditti, and **Joseph E. Dupuis**.

Applicants submit concurrently herewith a Preliminary Amendment in which the Cross-Reference to Related Applications is amended to reflect the above-noted priority claim. In addition, applicants submit concurrently herewith an executed Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition which has been executed by the four above-noted inventors, and which claims priority to the above-noted provisional patent application.

The filing receipt previously mailed in connection with the subject application on December 4, 2001 incorrectly identifies the priority application and fails to include the application's fourth named inventor, i.e., Joseph E. Dupuis, Ledyard, CT 06339

Prompt issuance of a corrected filing receipt properly identifying the Domestic Priority information and inventorship for the subject application, as outlined above, is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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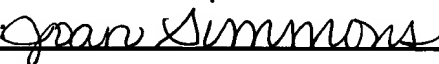
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Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

## Applicant(s)

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George M. Kessler, East Lyme, CT;  
Jay Venditti, East Lyme, CT;  
**Joseph E. Dupuis, Ledyard, CT.**

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

60/279,385 03/28/2001

THIS APPLN CLAIMS BENEFIT OF 60/282,308 04/05/2001

## Foreign Applications

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted 11/19/2001

Projected Publication Date: To Be Determined - pending completion of Missing Parts

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

## Title

Dual reactance low noise modular connector insert

## Preliminary Class

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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